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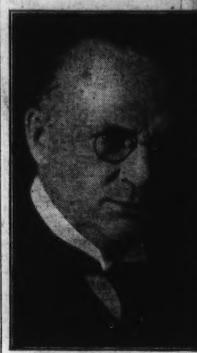
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Conservatives Have Majority Over All With 138 Seats

New Premier-Elect of Canada



HON. R. B. BENNETT, K.C.

Leader of the Conservative party in Canada, whose supporters were swept into power in the federal elections Monday, and who won a great personal victory in West Calgary where he was returned with a majority of more than 8,000.

The Park is Popular Place These Days

The park is going over big, being crowded with children every day since the opening.

We all regret we did not have Jim Banta with us last Wednesday. Jim is the man that donated the park in perpetuity to the Village. He now lives in the Medicine Hat district, but he can rest assured that the parents and children of Crossfield will be ever grateful to him for his bequest, and trust that at some later date he will be amongst us and see realised his vision of a real playground and park for the kiddies of Crossfield and district.

Main Street Has Been Greatly Improved

A few years ago Crossfield was scarcely more than a jumping-off place. Today it boasts of a live-wire Board of Trade, and an active Village Council. Until the Council tackled the matter recently the roads were in bad shape; but they have now taken the bulk by the horns, and made a real good job of graveling the road on Main Street from the south crossing to the centre of the town. There were some bad holes to be filled up, and, with the combined help of the various tradespeople, the Council has put the road in good shape, and next year it is planned to gravel the remainder of the street. Nowadays, traffic is very heavy, and the demands on the road very severe. Good roads mean good business; and good business in turn means a good town.

Some people fear that Crossfield is too near Calgary to grow; but if these people would only count up the money value of time saved by trading at home, as well as the wear and tear of car, tires, etc. they would soon build up a bigger and greater Crossfield.

On Long Motor Trip

Mr. and Mrs. D. Bills and their daughter Mrs. J. R. Bolick, and Miss Ruth Bolick, of Van Nuys, Cal., and Mr. C. Bills of Orange, California, arrived here on Saturday, after a motor trip from California to Oklahoma, then to Detroit and on to Crossfield. Mr. and Mrs. D. Bills make an annual trip to Crossfield to visit their sons Evert and Orval.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific the Conservatives policies have been accepted. Every province in the Dominion has shown by their votes that they have confidence in the Conservative party headed by Hon. R. B. Bennett.

Bennett Has 138

In the election of 1926, Premier King found himself with 123 Liberal supporters, to which he could add nine Liberal-Progressives mostly from Manitoba, giving him a comfortable working majority in a house of 245 members. Today Hon. R. B. Bennett has a following of 138, with the possibility of picking up the one seat in doubt in Quebec. He need therefore look no further for support among the depleted Independent groups, and for the first time since the war a government goes into office with a clear ready-made majority.

Results Over Dominion

Conservatives	138
Liberals	86
United Farmers	10
Progressives	2
Liberal-Progressives	3
Labor	3
Independents	2
Doubtful	1

Dr. R. G. Stanley Elected With Large Majority

East Calgary Riding Gives Stanley, Conservative a Majority of 5,527

The returns from the whole riding gave Stanley, 11,700; Adshead, 6,173, thus giving Stanley a majority of 5,527; while the voting in the polls near Crossfield was as follows :

Poll	Stanley	Adshead
68. Elba	34	20
69. Meadowside	26	18
72. Tan y Bryn	13	39
73. Greenwood	22	18
74. Crossfield	142	101
77. Sampsonton	47	30
78. Banner	47	14

Blackie Here on Sunday

Blackie, holders of the Calgary Brewery Trophy, and the best amateur baseball team in Southern Alberta will play a double header at the local diamond on Sunday, August 3rd at 3.30 and 5 p.m. This series will decide the amateur championship of Alberta.

Floral U.F.W.A Had Interesting Meeting

The July meeting of the Floral U.F.W.A. held at the home of I. Thompson on the 22nd inst was well attended, twenty ladies being present. After the reading of the June minutes, roll call, etc., Mrs. Ian Laut read a very interesting paper on "Home Economics". Mrs. Thos. Fitzgerald read a paper on "Legislation," and also gave a report on the Federal Convention, East Calgary, held in Calgary on July 9th.

Miss Margaret Stewart, Floral U.F.W.A. delegate, to the Junior Conference, held in Edmonton in June, gave a well prepared and interesting report of that Conference.

The July meeting was much enjoyed by all, as was the dainty lunch served by the hostesses for the month. Mrs. O. E. Jones, Mrs. Scholefeld, Mrs. O. Bills, and Mrs. W. Stafford.

Despite the fact that we had local showers in and around town every day last week, some parts of the district have not had rain for some time and a good general shower would be welcomed.

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The World's Grain Exhibition

The World's Poultry Congress is now in progress at the Crystal Palace, London, England, including a representative display of birds from Canada and with prominent Canadians identified with the poultry industry in attendance. A year or two ago Canada was honored by being host to the World's Poultry Congress, held in Ottawa, and which proved to be the most successful of these world's congresses held up to that time. Canada received most valuable publicity as a result, while the poultry industry throughout the Dominion was decidedly benefited thereby.

Canada is again to be host to a world's exhibition and conference in 1932, when the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference will be held in the city of Regina, Saskatchewan. It will be the greatest grain exhibition and conference ever held with over \$200,000 in cash prizes, an unprecedented sum to be awarded, while the experts from all over the world will be in attendance to participate in the conference.

Already the response of countries in every hemisphere has surpassed expectations. To date nearly one million copies of the official price list have been distributed in 84 countries. They have been placed where they will do the most good, and give a maximum of advertising to Canada, and Western Canada in particular, in every corner of the civilized world.

Canada as a country dependent on agriculture, and suffering all the growing pains of the young, needs this advertising, and even supposing no person from outside Canada attended the Exhibition and Conference at Regina, in 1932, the world-wide advertising already secured would be an ample return on the monies expended to date.

But the commercial exhibits will be represented, not only by interesting and instructive exhibits, but by learned agricultural experts. The Government of Canada officially invited invitations to other countries to participate and today—two years before the event—eight countries have accepted. These are Peru, New Zealand, Guatemala, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Belgium and the Netherlands. The Governments of other countries such as the United States, Great Britain, France, the Argentine, Australia, have asked for further and more complete information, and by 1932 it is expected at least 50 countries will have accepted the invitation and are present.

The management of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference has taken charge of the World's Poultry Congress, in London, England, this month to further the world-wide participation at Regina in 1932, and has sent an exhibit to London, and a week of entertainment, in London, the official delegates of 56 countries. At this luncheon the managing director of the World's Grain Exhibition will address these delegates and outline to them why they should participate at Regina. Afterwards he will visit the ministries of agriculture, of the countries of Europe, to drive that message home.

Exhibits of the World's Grain Exhibition are also being prepared for the Canadian National Exhibition, and the Royal Winter Fair, at Toronto, and the International Grain Show at Chicago.

This is what is being done to bring the world to Western Canada in 1932. But this is important, Western Canada should put forth every effort to retain for this country the world's championship wheat trophy. Other countries are asking us to compete, we are asking, even urging them, to make the attempt. Western Canada must therefore look to its laurels. The wheat farmers of Western Canada—the best in the world—must be alert and put forth their best efforts, individually and collectively, to retain for this Dominion the proud title of the World's Wheat King.

Now is the time to prepare for the exhibition. It cannot be put off until 1932. It must be done in 1930 and 1931.

To Cope With Cancer

War-Time Mustard Gas Now Used For This Purpose

Use of war-time mustard gas in combating cancer is described in the annual report of the grand council of the British Empire cancer campaign.

The report said: "Mustard gas seems to be the first true anti-carcinogenic agent ever discovered." Action of the gases was explained as being localized to the particular area under treatment and its cure to be strictly limited in time. But none the less on that account a remarkable cure."

Baker Lake

According to the records of the Geographic Board of Canada, Baker Lake was so called in 1762 by Capt. Christopher of the ship "Churchill" who discovered the lake on ascending Chesterfield inlet from Hudson Bay in that year.

A Tall Story

A borrower recently returned to a Canadian library a book he had taken out fifty years ago. They wrote 'em long in the Victorian era—Kanasa City Star.

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Usual Order Reversed

Cleveland Children Look On While Parents Graduate

The usual order of school commencement was reversed at Cleveland when an audience of children in the auditorium of John Hay High School and applauded their parents as they marched to the platform to receive high school diplomas. The occasion was the annual commencement of the Cleveland Extension High School.

One-third of the graduates ranged from 17 to well past middle age. In the class was a goal professional, an assistant sales manager; an auditor, a credit manager; an assistant treasurer and a field manager for a large oil company.

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World Depression In Wool Prices

New Zealand, like Australia, has been hit a severe blow by the world depression in wool prices, it was revealed recently. The gross receipt from New Zealand wool sales this year were almost \$35,000,000 below last year's yield. Wool forms by far the largest part of New Zealand's exports, the value of the wool export in 1928 being more than \$90,000,000.

A beam of light travels so fast that it could make a round trip from New York to San Francisco in approximately a seventy-fifth of a second.

China plans to spend \$4,000,000 in improving its government telegraph lines.

Archbishop Opposed

To Death Penalty

Says It Lowers Conception Of Sanctity Of Life

The Most Rev. William Temple, Archbishop of York, is one of the few witnesses who has come so far before the Royal Commission on punishment to favor the abolition of the death penalty.

"I dissent from the view that punishment should be regarded as regulated vengeance," the Archbishop stated. "From a Christian viewpoint, vengeance is entirely illegitimate. The infliction of death or outlawry would be, by justification in the eyes of a man, to do wholly evil but no person was ever that."

The main argument advanced by the archbishop from a sociological viewpoint was that the behaviour of a community as a whole was so largely imitative that the reaction to the taking of life by the state tended to a lower general conception of the sanctity of human life.

Summer Complaints Kill Little Ones

At the first sign of illness during the hot weather give the little one his own bath. If he is beyond a few hours he may be beyond a rinsing bath. Baby's Own Talcum should always be kept in every home where there are young children. There is nothing as safe as talcum, and the mother has the greatest trust in it. It is absolutely safe. They are sold by all druggists or by mail at 25 cents per box, by Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

May Purchase Canadian Land

Another English Peer Interested In Farming In Dominion

The possibilities of southern Saskatchewan for ranching on a large scale were investigated recently by Lord Middleton, Yorkshire landowner, who is touring Canada with a view to purchasing land in this country. Lord Middleton specializes in breeding cattle on his 3,000-acre farm in the village of Thirsk. He recently made the decision to dispose of the whole of his estate, comprising some thousands of acres, driven to this step by the excessive burden of taxation to which every British landowner has been subjected since the war. It is his plan to take up land in Canada. He was an interested visitor at the Brandon Summer Fair, and in all the departments he visited those in charge were rather pleased with the knowledge he had of farm affairs and of horticulture. He brought over to Ontario some fifty Yorkshire lads, who will be placed on Ontario farms.

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Father Of Many Inventions

Sir Charles Wheatstone Gave Many Scientific Ideas To World

The concertina, celebrated its centenary last year, was invented and popularized by Charles—afterward Sir Charles—Wheatstone, in 1829. His name has been a wonderful man, for his inventions seem to have been legion. Sir Charles invented, for example, the stereoscope by which the appearance of solidity is obtained through the mental combination of two pictures, and the polar clock, which made it possible to tell the time by the light from the sky although the sun might be invisible. It was he who made the electric telegraph available for the public transmission of messages. And in between his scientific studies he sandwiched the invention of our little musical friend the concertina.

Wax figures for store windows in London are being made to represent Helen Wills, Princess Elizabeth, Prime Minister MacDonald and other well-known people.

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PRINCE AND PEASANT

Railplane Has Been Tested

Torpedo-Shaped Coach Is Driven By Two Propellers

The world's first experimental railplane system built by the London and North Eastern Railway has been inaugurated at Milngavie, Scotland.

A torpedo-shaped coach driven by two aeroplane propellers, operating fore and aft, and drawing electrical power from the overhead rail to which it is suspended, flashed over an experimental stretch of track built above the main right-of-way of the London and North Eastern Railways.

It carried 25 passengers and is capable of developing a speed of 150 miles an hour on a long stretch of track, according to its designer, George Stansfeld, of London.

The railplane is England's answer to the demand of the aeroplane age for speedier transportation. The new system was inspected by delegates to the Transport Congress, which met in Glasgow. If it wins the approval, plans for a railplane system between Blackpool and Southport, a distance of 25 miles, will be carried out.

A railplane system can be built at one-third the cost of a double track railway system, say the London and North Eastern.

Each railplane which will be self-propelled will run along the overhead rail will direct the course and guide rails will keep it from swinging. The car is stopped by reversing the propellers, which act as brakes.

The aerial railway can be erected over roads, canals or as in the present instance, over railroads, without interfering with the ground traffic. Thus, in the case of railroads, a ground line could be used for freight, while the air line could be used for speedy passenger service and the carrying of mails.

Summer Decided Increase

Progress Reported For Creameries All Over Alberta

Alberta creameries during the first four months of the year have shown an increase of 4.4 per cent. over the similar period of 1929, and 38 per cent above the period of 1928. Creameries in the south of the province showed an increase of 1 per cent, those in the central part similar increase, and those in the northern zone a 19 per cent. increase.

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Please Britain

Franco-Italian Naval Conventions Will Help London Naval Treaty

Prime Minister MacDonald told the British House of Commons recently, that the British Government had great pleasure in arranging the Franco-Italian naval convention between the governments of France and Italy and of discussions on naval questions.

Mr. MacDonald said the British government hoped these Franco-Italian conversations would complete the work of the London Naval Conference and that the principles of naval limitation, as contained in part three of the London Naval Treaty, would be applied to all parties to the conference.

He said it was not necessary for the British Government to take any action in the connection regarding the British naval limitation of 1930 since this was purely for necessary replacements within the reduced tonnage limits imposed by the treaty.

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Centenary Of The Match
France is preparing to celebrate in 1931 the centenary of the phosphorous match. It was 99 years ago that a young student, Charles Lauten, of Dole, dipped slivers of wood into liquid phosphorous and was able to light the match by striking it on a nail.

Freshman: "What would you do if the girl you were calling on raved and shrieked that she never wanted to see you again?"

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Artificial Wool

Artificial Sheep Will Grow Wool Indefinitely, Say Scientists

That artificial sheep will grow real wool indefinitely is the prediction of the British Research Association for Animal Husbandry and Veterinary following recent experiments in the hair growth of animals. By merely slicing off pieces of live sheepskin and placing them in vats containing a certain chemical solution, the pieces may be continuously nourished and thus produce hair year in and year out. Cowhide also might be treated in the same way, say the association's chemists.

Morning Egg Weigh More

Tests Show Them Heavier Than Those Laid in Afternoon

Tests conducted on different chicken farms by C. Howard King, poultry supervisor of the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture and Markets, resulted in the finding that morning eggs laid in the forenoon weigh 94.111 grains, or 4.1 percent, while those laid in the afternoon averaged only 92.530 grains, according to a report from Madison, Wisconsin. This suggests another problem for commercial egg producers—how to make hens lay in the forenoon—and bigger eggs.

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Game in Canada

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Canada Has Maintained Lead In Silver Fox Ranching Industry, Which Is Steadily Growing

Canada was the first to develop breeding of silver foxes in captivity and she has so maintained her position in this respect that she is regarded as a world-leader by all other countries, whose representatives usually visit the Dominion in search of knowledge and advice in the conduct of similar undertakings. While silver fox ranching has been exploited here and there by individuals who have been stressing its financial possibilities, yet the industry as a whole has developed along sound and economic lines, due in the first place to the foresight of the pioneers and to the vald and conservative methods of the fox breeders of Prince Edward Island who nursed the silver fox industry through its infancy.

The Canadian National Silver Fox Breeders' Association is the largest breed society in the Dominion and registers annually larger numbers of foxes than can be found in any other species of live stock. The 70,883 silver fox pups born in 1922, and registered by this association, are descended from less than a score of silver foxes taken from the wild by the pioneers breeders. The remarkable growth of the silver fox industry is indicated by the figures of the last four years taken from Canadian Live Stock records, of silver fox pups registered by the above association: 1922, 32,355; 1923, 39,767; 1924, 51,624; 1925, 70,883.

While Prince Edward Island is still the cradle and the home of the industry, silver fox ranching is being firmly established in practically every province of the Dominion, and is operating on a very large scale, more particularly in the province of Quebec. Silver fox ranching has also become established in a great number of European countries, and heavy shipments of live foxes are made annually from Canada, 2,558 having been exported from Prince Edward Island alone in 1929.

While there has been a larger sale of live silver foxes as well as skins during the last few years than ever before, yet these animals represent only about 25 per cent. of the silver foxes produced. The main function of silver fox ranching is the production of pelts. In fact, large number of the ranches are now less interested in the sale of live foxes. As a consequence, there has been a rapid increase in the number of silver fox pelts coming into the market, but as the number has increased, a wider and more general interest has been shown in silver fox fur by the fur buyers and by the fur trade as a whole. This has resulted, generally speaking, in a steady increase in the prices obtained for silver fox furs. Of course, as was to be expected, the financial stringency of last autumn had a marked effect on the prices of all pelts at the December and January sales, but silver fox furs were less affected than any other class.

During the last two decades of the 19th century, before foxes were raised in captivity, it has been estimated that between 2,000 and 3,000 silver fox pelts were placed upon the market annually. For the past two years over 100,000 silver fox pelts have been absorbed each year by the fur trade, and as the number of captured wild animals has not increased, it is estimated that wild pelts comprise only about 2,000 of this number. This estimate is confirmed by the fact that at the different auction sales of wild foxes formed less than two per cent. of the total offering.

New School For Indian Reserve It is officially reported that \$60,000 is to be spent on improvements to buildings in the Indian Reserve at Gleichen this summer. The finishing touches are now being put on the new school recently built on the Reserve at Gleichen:



"They say: Time is money! If I had as much money as I have time, it'd be a millionaire." —Hannibal Hamburg.

W. M. U. 1848

Heavy Livestock Losses

Cattle and Pigs Die From Bite Of Black Fly

From eastern Saskatchewan have come reports of considerable damage to cattle and hogs from the attacks of a small fly. A species of tiny black fly, known as Simulium, is causing heavy livestock losses at farms near Saskatchewan River, where the flies breed. In the Pike Lake area, at least seven hundred cattle and twenty hogs have died from the effects of the flies' bites.

Eggs of the flies are laid on exposed stones near running water. When the river rises and the water washes over the stones the friction causes the eggs to hatch.

When the flies are thick, University should be housed, the University of Saskatchewan veterinary department advises, and baking soda and water should be used to reduce swelling and lessen pain.

Favourite Canadian Apples

McIntosh, Spy, Gravenstein, Delicious and Baldwins Are the Favourites Canada has a wide range of apple varieties and the question as to which of these is the most popular provides a good deal of interest. In a survey conducted by the Fruit Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, the McIntosh was shown to have a marked preference in Canada generally. Next came the Spy, then the Gravenstein, then Delicious, and then the Baldwin.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

(By Anabelle Worthington)



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Grain By Bay Route

Seventy-One Years Ago Grain Was Imported From Britain Into Hudson Bay

Workers are toiling today on the steel and timber framework of the grain elevator at Churchill, aid in the movement of the 1931 wheat crop over the Hudson Bay route. But 71 years ago the Bay route was used for the shipment of wheat—at that time to the prairies which now supply consumers in all parts of the world.

In 1859 some eleven thousand bushels of wheat and seven thousand bushels of flour were imported for prairie settlers. The bulk of these supplies came to Red River (now Winnipeg) via the river-borne sailing vessels which braved the dangers of the northern route. Seventeen years later Manitoba shipped out its first wheat down the river to Duluth, Minnesota, and thence by rail to Toronto.

In the interim the western prairies have swelled their grain producing expanses until half-billion bushel crops have become an actuality. And advancing trade is preparing to move out over a bay route used by grandfathers of folk who told today.

Study Sheep Industry

Will Make Economic Survey Of Sheep Raising In the West

J. H. Grisdale has announced an economic survey of the sheep raising industry in Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia this summer. The Agricultural Economics Branch and the Experimental Farms of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, will co-operate in carrying out the survey. This survey, which will include a complete study of conditions in the sheep raising industry, marks the beginning of a program of research work in agricultural economics on behalf of the Livestock industry. It is anticipated that five or six men will be sent to each of the three provinces. Departmental experts will be assisted by representatives of the respective Provincial governments and of Livestock Associations in carrying out work of the survey.

Wife: There's one thing about my mother; she's outspoken.

Husband: Not by anyone I know.

The highly important matters of a board to control imports and schemes for bulk purchase of agricultural commodities will not be overlooked when the Imperial Conference assembled in London, England in the coming autumn, Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Secretary for the Dominions, assured a questioner in the British House of Commons.

These questions, which have been under discussion in British politics for some time, have not been placed on the agenda. Mr. Thomas explained the agenda for the conference was a matter on which agreement must be reached between the governments taking part. He gave assurance the questions would not be dismissed without consideration.

The questioner probably had in mind the suggestions that a board should be set up to regulate imports of grain.

The mind of Plato was always to the effect that the mind was always at the service of the body and should at all times control it.

Mrs. M. Folk, aged 73, of New York, recently made her ninety-second crossing of the Atlantic.

Soil Scientists Are Meeting In Russia

As Tribute To Work Which Has Been Carried On There

People who are still thinking of Soviet Russia in terms of whistlers and bombs may be called upon to change their views within the next few years and a recent announcement seems to point rather definitely to the prairies which now supply consumers in all parts of the world.

Soil scientists are to meet in Moscow in August.

The Russian school of soil scientists has attained a position as a result of its work, which is now considered second to none in the world and the holding of this convention in Russia speaks volumes for the progress of agriculture in America and our neighbors to the south are not noted for giving credit where credit is not due if it is outside of their own borders.

Regulate Imports Of Grain

Matter Will Come Up At Imperial Conference In London

The highly important matters of a board to control imports and schemes for bulk purchase of agricultural commodities will not be overlooked when the Imperial Conference assembled in London, England in the coming autumn, Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Secretary for the Dominions, assured a questioner in the British House of Commons.

These questions, which have been under discussion in British politics for some time, have not been placed on the agenda. Mr. Thomas explained the agenda for the conference was a matter on which agreement must be reached between the governments taking part. He gave assurance the questions would not be dismissed without consideration.

The questioner probably had in mind the suggestions that a board should be set up to regulate imports of grain.

The mind of Plato was always to the effect that the mind was always at the service of the body and should at all times control it.

Mrs. M. Folk, aged 73, of New York, recently made her ninety-second crossing of the Atlantic.

Empire Games at Hamilton



Hamilton, Ontario, will be the centre next month of the British Empire Games to which athletes from all the Dominions and the Mother Country will flock. E. W. Beatty, chairman and president, Canadian Pacific Railway, is chairman of the national committee of the A.A.U. of Canada for the Games and promises of support have been received by the committee from Australia, New Zealand, Africa, British Crown Colony, the Irish Free State, Northern Ireland, while a strong and representative British Committee has been formed to ensure full British participation at this notable sports gathering of the British peoples. Canada will, of course, be very fully represented, practically every province sending its outstanding athletes. The Games are scheduled to be held August 16-23.

Pale Western Cutworm One Of Worst Pests With Which Farmers Have To Contend

Will Exhibit At Big Show

Belgium To Take Part In World's Grain Exhibition

According to word received at the headquarters office at Regina, Belgium has officially accepted the invitation to take part in the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, to be held at Regina from July 25 to August 6, 1932.

Belgium of course became very well known for the part it played during the Great War. It may be interesting to note that both Belgium and the Netherlands are two of the smallest but most densely populated states in Europe. In area they are together not so large as the province of New Brunswick and are but one-tenth the size of Manitoba. The population of each, however, about equals to the whole of Canada. Belgium also governs the Belgian Congo in Central Africa.

Because of the density of the population in these small countries it becomes necessary to make the best use of the land to secure the people's subsistence. One Canadian writer says, "If their farmers farmed as we farm it would be impossible for so many of them to exist in such a small land, but by their thorough methods of cultivating the land, and their industry, care and thrift, the Belgians have become a very prosperous people." According to "The Statesman's Year Book, 1930," Belgium in 1928, produced 9,750,000 cwt. of wheat from 430,232 acres; 1,900,000 cwt. of barley from 76,172 acres; 14,000,000 cwt. of oats from 570,085 acres. In addition to field crops, the farmers produce immense quantities of sugar beets, potatoes, flowering bulbs and dairy products. With such a record the great value of Belgium's contribution to the exhibition and conference of 1932 is assured.

Fish Industry

Canada Ships Fish To Almost Every Part Of The World

There aren't very many corners of the world where Canadian fish is not sold or another is not sold.

Last year Canadian fish and fish products found markets virtually all over the world and accounted for nearly \$36,000,000 of the export totals. In the Dominion's trade returns, Canada's share of fisheries products in 1929 amounted to value of \$73,000.

The exports vary from frozen smelts and canned sardines to canned whale meat, but the biggest single item in point of value, is canned salmon, virtually all of it from the great cannery industry of British Columbia.

In 1929 nearly 91 million pounds of Canadian canned salmon were sold, with the sales representing \$36,000,000 worth. Alaska and New Zealand were purchasers to the amount of more than \$2,700,000. Sales to the United Kingdom had a value of \$1,780,000, in round figures, while purchases by France totalled \$1,709,000 and Italy took canned salmon to the value of \$738,000. About 25 or 30 countries were buyers.

Shortage In Egg Production

Report Shows Extra Grade Is Becoming Quite Scarce

The production of eggs is still declining all over Canada, states the weekly egg and poultry report of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The market is generally inclined to be firm, particularly extra, which grade is becoming quite scarce. While there has been a slight increase in price of eggs, as yet, there is a much stronger undercut. At some of the larger consuming centers in the east local receipts of eggs are not sufficient to meet the consumption demand.

New Grievance Against Autos

Farmers of Scotland have found a new grievance against the automobile. Entries to the fall fairs this year are to be few because, they say, the increasing number of cars make it unsafe to drive their choice livestock along the highways leading to the events. Some sheep owners plan to buy machines to transport their exhibits.

Mystery Bus Trips a Novelty

Dublin, Irish Free State, has just introduced auto-hotel mystery trips as a novelty. Passengers are given a fifty-mile drive every evening during the summer for 60 cents. The trip is a stop of one hour at popular resorts. The route is not announced beforehand in order to arouse interest.

The pale western cutworm is one of the worst insect pests with which the farmers of Alberta and Saskatchewan have to contend. Its presence in a field in the spring depends entirely on the condition of that field during August and early September of the previous season. For this reason, the farmers have issued that farmers in these two provinces may prepare their fields this summer to avoid trouble next spring.

The weather conditions during the early season of 1930 have been such as to practically ensure an enormous increase of the pale western cutworm over a large area in both Alberta and Saskatchewan. In fact, it appears now as though these provinces would have the most widespread and devastating outbreak of this insect that has ever occurred.

The outbreak will be most severe in Alberta from Edmonton south to the Lethbridge-Medicine Hat line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and east of the McLeod-Edmonton line. There will undoubtedly be some increase south of Lethbridge and Medicine Hat and farmers in that area will do well to handle their fields accordingly.

In Saskatchewan the outbreak will probably be quite general from Saskatchewan to the border. The most severe damage will probably occur in a 100 mile radius of Regina. The isolated local outbreaks which occurred in 1930 over the rest of Saskatchewan west of a north and south line through Indian Head and Abernethy will probably increase in intensity and spread in all directions so as to make a general outbreak with severe conditions scattered through it.

Wherever possible, farmers are urged to keep entities of their fields from the end of August to the middle of September. Summerfall should be well worked during July so that all seed growth is destroyed and then left untouched. No stock should be allowed to run on the land and no machinery taken across it.

The adult moths of the pale western cutworm lay their eggs during August and early September. The eggs are always laid in soft, dusty soil and are easily crushed. The soil must be slightly crusted to be largely avoided by the moths. In most soils a light rain is sufficient to form this protective crust and if the last cultivation is followed by such a rain the crust that is formed should not be broken in any way.

Fields which are in crop that must be harvested during August will have the surface crust destroyed by these operations and the cutworms will be present in the soil next spring. If the crop is left until after the first of September it can be left until the middle of September or even later. It should be allowed to stand and stocked before the first of August nothing should be allowed to disturb the soil crust between those dates.

The entire problem during a pale western cutworm outbreak can be simply expressed as follows:

1. Any fields in which the soil surface is crusted and undisturbed from the first of August to the middle of September will be reasonably free of cutworms the following spring.

2. Any fields in which the soil surface crust is broken or disturbed between the first and middle of September are to be infested with cutworms the following spring. If such fields are seeded the crop will probably be destroyed.

The only hope of growing crops successfully over the outbreak area in 1930, if the foregoing recommendations are not followed, depends entirely on the species of cutworm. Wet seasons during next May and June with frequent heavy rains may reduce the amount of damage. When the soil is wet the pale western cutworm does not feed as heavily or destroy as many plants as it does when the soil is dry.

More detailed information can be secured by writing to the Dominion entomological laboratory at Lethbridge, Alberta; Saskatoon, Saskatchewan; Indian Head, Saskatchewan; or Treesebank, Manitoba.

Eliza: "Tell me, mummy, what do you really look like?" —Boudagene-Strix, Stockholm.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Rockefeller Foundation has decided to give \$450,000 to the University of Sydney, Australia, for medical research.

The Irish Free State, like Great Britain, gave the European union idea cool treatment in a note responding to Foreign Minister Briand's questionnaire.

British Columbia's lumber industry is holding its exports market, while Washington and Oregon, according to H. R. MacMillan, leading export.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce shipped \$1,000,000 in gold to Canada, from New York, the first important shipment of the yellow metal across the border since 1927.

Value of building permits issued in 61 Canadian cities during June was \$17,836,478, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

"Pure invention," was how Sir Godfrey Thomas, private secretary to the Prince of Wales, described a story that the Prince plans a United States visit and Canadian "camping holiday" this year.

Seven thousand specimens of poultry from 23 countries, including Canada and the United States, went on exhibit in the Crystal Palace, London, England, for the World's Poultry Show.

To commemorate the action of the 700 Indians who fled to the British crown all land extending west to York, a cairn will be erected at Carrying Place, Prince Edward County, Ontario. A 25-foot plot at the main corner of the village has been chosen as the most suitable location.

The death occurred of James M. Coleman at his residence, 356 Olivier Avenue, Montreal. Mr. Coleman was a well-known figure in racing circles and was the inventor of the Coleman locking device, which prevents passenger cars from telescoping in a railway collision. He was in his 70th year.

Anxious To Capture Market In Canada

Australia Makes First Shipment Of Oranges For Distribution

The first shipment of Australian oranges to enter Vancouver, 5,000 cases from Sydney, N.S.W., was unloaded recently for distribution at various points throughout the Dominion.

To capture the Canadian market for Australian orange growers is the aim of the wholesale fruit distributors organization of Sydney, which two months ago sent W. H. Pierce here to pay the way for the drive.

Claiming that the Australian fruit surpassed that from the United States, the fruit growers of New South Wales believe that their product will quickly win a large share of the market that the United States producers now enjoy.

Banded Bird Law

Co-operation With Proper Authorities Is Required

It is important that any person who finds a banded bird report the fact to the National Parks of Canada Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, giving the species of the bird, band number, date and locality of occurrence, and information as to whether the bird was found dead, was killed, or was released alive still wearing its band. Persons reporting banded birds will be informed promptly respecting the place and time of banding.

Sootman: "How much to press a pair of trousers?"

Agent: "One shilling."

Sootman: "Then press one leg for six pence—I am having my photograph taken side view."

Sue: "And don't you ever forget that I threw over a millionaire's son just to marry you."

He: "Yes that guy was not only born rich but lucky as well."



"Have you heard of the new medicine that's put in coffee and takes away all liking for whisky?"

"Heavens! I'll never dare drink coffee again!"—Karikaturen, Oslo.

Novel Attempt To Escape From Prison

Robber Serving Sentence In Sing Sewed Up In Mattress

A novel method of attempting escape from Sing Sing prison was uncovered when guards found Jack Levy within a mattress made in the prison factory. Levy, small and middle-aged robber, almost got away with it. He would now be on his way to freedom but for the curiosity of Victor Brown, keeper-chefeur, who thought a pile of mattresses on his truck looked suspiciously lob-sided although it had been twice inspected by other guards.

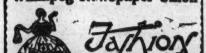
Brown summoned Principal Keeper Sheehy and a search was instituted. Sheehy ripped open one misshapen mattress and discovered Levy. Levy had a razor with which to cut his way out, and a hammer. The robber will be sent to Clinton prison, Dannemore, N.Y. His attempted escape will put back his earliest possible date of release to 1952. Levy was sewed into the mattress from the outside. His accomplice has not been found.

Tuning Out Noise

Idea Of Scientist, If Carried Out, Would Be Boon To World

A person is in an office that looks out on a busy street, and traffic is roaring past. It makes normal speech impossible. It forces one to switch off the noises fade away to nothing. The traffic is still streaming past, but one cannot hear a sound. That is the promise made by a well-known scientist, Dr. James Robinson. Dr. Robinson's idea is that sound waves might be "tuned out" in the same way as we get rid of unwanted broadcasting stations on our wireless set. Special apparatus built into the walls of a building will "trap" the sound waves and in this way we shall get silence. Every day the mechanical world in which we live gets noisier and noisier.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union



(By Anabelle Worthington).



5360

The chic femininity and girlish prettiness of this yellow and green printed rayon crepe will instantly brighten up the dullest of days.

The flaring skirt shows soft gathering at front, and slightly dipping at back. The bodice is fitted and draped in the normal waistline and tied in youthful bow at side.

The simple bodice is sleeveless. The easy-to-care-for plain yellow crepe is most unusual, opened at front displaying round neckline. An applied band of the printed crepe provides the finishing touch.

Style No. 3360 is very effective for parties made of pale blue georgette crepe with collar finished with plaid edging.

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CHARMING YOUNG PRINCE

Photograph shows Crown Prince Michael of Roumania, who was recently relieved of the cares of king when his father, Prince Carol, returned and took over the throne he renounced, with his faithful dog.

Patrol Northern Highway

Mounted Policemen To Watch Traffic On Prince Albert National Park Road

Mounted Police in Saskatchewan assumed a new role when a member of the scarlet coated force heads northward from Prince Albert recently on a brand new motorcycle to inaugurate the system of patrols on the Prince Albert National Park Highway. Speedsters will have to watch their step in the future, for the entire thirty miles an hour limit may be broken when a fine up to the maximum of \$100等着 the offenders on conviction.

Other regulations to be enforced require motorists to keep on the right of an imaginary line down the centre of the highway, to make sure his vision to the rear and to each side is not obstructed and not to catch up and pass another vehicle at a blind curve.

Heavily loaded trucks with loads protruding beyond the sides of the vehicles will be required to park well out to the side and stop if necessary to permit an approaching vehicle to pass. There are no set hours for the patrol, but it will be maintained throughout the day, and at times when traffic is particularly heavy. The mounted policeman astride his motorcycle will be seen at night slapping along the highway to check up on reckless drivers.

There's a Reason

John Big Soldier, 94-year-old Indian whose people at Black River Falls, Wisconsin, depend largely on the blueberry crop to bring them a living, may be able to explain better than your favorite restaurant proprietor why the latter is not serving so many blueberry pies. "Heap damn big frost," John said.

It's easy to tell if it's a friend or a bill collector at the door. Just wait a while and if it's a bill collector he won't go away.

PINEAPPLE ORANGE SPONGE

1 package orange flavored gelatin
1 cup boiling water.
1 cup pineapple juice and cold water.
1 cup shredded pineapple, drained. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add pineapple juice and cold water. Chill. When slightly thickened, beat with rotary egg beater until of consistency of whipped cream. Fold in pineapple. Turn into molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Serves 8.

Wit and Philosophy

Puns are not always properly attributed to their original author, possibly because puns have been condemned as the lowest form of wit. But some are worthy to live.

Here is one which sums up whole systems of philosophy, but it was originally aimed at George Berkeley's (1685-1753) contumacious master:

"What is mind? No matter. What is matter? Never mind."—Christian Science Monitor.

The Modern Maid

In answer to the advertisement of a Weymouth, England, boarding house keeper for a housemaid, one girl demanded a salary of \$225 a year, every Sunday and three evenings a week off, and a garage for her motorcycle.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 3

NAOMI AND RUTH

Golden Text: "And He made of one every nation of men to dwell on all the face of the earth."—Acts 17:26.

Lesson: The Book of Ruth. Devotional Reading: Isaiah 61:1-7.

Explanation and Comments

The Beginning Of The Story, 11:12. In the days of the Judges there was a famine in the land of Canaan, and to escape it the Bethlehemites, Bethlehem, and their wives, left their home and settled in Moab across the Jordan. The Jews have a legend to the effect that Eliab was of the tribe of Judah, the father-in-law of Amminadab, the father-in-law of Aaron, that he was wealthy, and left the country in the company of his wife and their seven sons, and his wealth intact for he was afraid of being besieged by his starving brethren.

In Moab they had two sons married daughters of that alien land, Ruth and Orpah. Ten years passed, father and sons found their graves there, and Naomi, the poor widow, who had remained in Bethlehem determined to return to her native land. Farewells seldom take place in the homes in eastern lands, however. One part, she carried out the usual custom when they accompanied Naomi a short distance on her way. When Naomi reached the border of Moab far enough to show her sitting respect, she stopped to dismiss them. With tears and kisses she bade them return to their homes and let her go on her way alone.

Ruth's Great Decision, verses 14-18. Though it grieved Orpah to part from her, Ruth refused to follow her and returned to Naomi. Ruth, however, clung to Naomi. With all her power Naomi sought to dissuade Ruth from accompanying her. "Behold," she said, "thy sister-in-law is gone back unto her people, and unto her god (Channah). Go after thy people and thy god-in-law." In answer Ruth uttered those beautiful words which have become so famous through the ages: "Wherever thou goest I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God." The ancient belief was that each people had its own god, and must necessarily serve the god of that land. Compare Samuel 26:19.

"Reuben, You're a Moonbeam, of an uncertain race, and according to the law of Moses was not allowed to enter the congregation of the covenant. While this story finally teaches that when God is worshipped in earnest, we must not forget the difficulty as it existed for Paul: how the people could be converted to the true religion of Christ when the Jewish people had been scattered over the world. As Paul said, "I beseech you therefore to allow her from the standpoint of material prosperity. Those she had were the people of Jehovah had been scattered over the world on account of famine. From them she knew of the perils of those who had remained in the land, and the dangers of those who had been scattered, as she came into contact with the religion of the Hebrew people, realizing the greatness of her distance. As Paul said, "I beseech you therefore to allow her from the standpoint of material prosperity. 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AIRWAY PLANS FROM HUDSON BAY TO BRITAIN

Vancouver, B.C.—Imperial airways spanning the Northern Atlantic Ocean and Hudson Bay may some day link Canada with the other aerial routes of the British Empire, declared Major-General J. H. MacBrien, addressing the Canadian club here.

President of the Aviation League of Canada, he told how plans are now being laid for a trial flight across the northern route via Hudson Bay to Europe in 1931. Gasoline for the trip is to be bought through the courtesy of the Hudson Bay Company, being placed along the route.

At the same time, General MacBrien predicted that valuable as this connection will be in the Imperial scheme of things, a great portion of the air traffic between the United States and Europe may have to traverse the same route.

Plans for the linking of the British Empire were first laid at the Imperial conferences of 1920 and 1924, he explained. As a result of these early British air routes had been established and with it a feeder line running from Cairo across Africa.

On this feeder line, as he called it, the gold of South Africa is already being taken to Europe and put into circulation weeks before it would otherwise reach great centres of population. This meant the saving of much in interest.

The speaker also pictured the situation of the R-100, which will soon take off for England, as forging another link in the aerial chain around the British Empire.

"Canada's geographical position," the general said, "is a most fortunate one—we can control these routes that pass over our country, and we must control them. We must have Canadian operated services."

Second Reading Given Naval Treaty Bill

No Division In British House Of Commons

London, England.—The bill supporting the London naval treaty giving effect to the naval reduction compact signed recently passed the second reading in the House of Commons without a division.

Parliamentary Secretary G. G. Ammon explained that under the British legal system a treaty, although it might not immediately have effect on the British Government, could not be enforced in law courts against private individuals unless supporting legislation was passed.

Under the Washington treaty Britain entered into certain agreements not to build or provide by private shipbuilding certain vessels of war. The London treaty contained alterations of these agreements. To give effect to them, the Commons was asked to approve the bill.

Compelled To Cancel Official Engagement

Weather Conditions Forced Prince To Abandon Airplane Trip

London, England.—For the first time on record the Prince of Wales was forced to cancel an official engagement because of weather conditions.

Weather reports from Wales indicated flying conditions were impossible and the Prince cancelled an airplane flight which he had intended making from London to Carnarvon to open the Royal Welsh Agricultural Show. As it was impossible to reach Carnarvon from London by train in time for the opening, the whole engagement was abandoned.

Rapids Border Patrol Bill

International Falls, Minn.—Denouncing the proposed border patrol bill before Congress as comparable to "barbed wire fences between Canada and the United States," Congressman William Pittenger, Duluth, was the principal speaker at the Border Press Association's annual meeting here.

No Passengers Killed

Ottawa, Ont.—Railway accidents in Canada during May took a toll of 41 lives and resulted in injuries to 183 persons, it was shown in a report issued by the Board of Railway Commissioners. None of those killed were passengers on trains. Accidents at railway crossings resulted in 15 persons killed and 38 injured.

Feddles of Cuba are offering cheap wares on the installment plan.

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Aviation Pioneer Dead

Glen H. Curtiss Did Not Lose Faith When Others Became Discouraged

Buffalo, N.Y.—Glen H. Curtiss, widely known aviation pioneer, died in the General Hospital here.

Mr. Curtiss was brought to the hospital from his home at Hammondsport, N.Y., to undergo an operation for appendicitis. The operation was successful and he was reported recovering rapidly.

Mrs. Curtiss came here with her husband and has been almost constantly at his bedside.

Hospital authorities stated death was due to pulmonary embolus, caused by a blood clot on one of the main arteries leading out of the heart.

Glen H. Curtiss nurtured the science of aviation in the middle years of its development, when finer hearts had grown discouraged.

With a tomato can for a carburetor, he built his first motor bicycle in 1902. He continued to experiment with lightweight motors and evolved his famous V-type motor, a departure in design reflected in the radial airplane engines of today. In 1904 he set a motor bicycle speed record at Ormond Beach, Fla., 10 miles in eight minutes and 54 seconds, and in 1906, over the same course, travelled faster than man ever had before, a mile in 26 2-5 seconds.

His fame spread and drew the attention of the late Major Thomas Scott Baldwin, builder and operator of balloons. In 1904 the two met in Hammondsport and installed a Curtiss motor in Baldwin's balloon. With this machine they made a circular flight of Oakland, Calif., in August, 1906.

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, in command of the telephone, commissioned Curtiss to build a motor for a man-carrying kite. Gliders were experimented with for a time, and then the men turned their attention to power aeroplanes.

Floods In England

Two Lives Lost In Consequence Of Cloudburst In Yorkshire

Whitby, Yorkshire, England.—Two lives are already known to have been lost, and other fatalities are feared, in consequence of a flood that followed a cloudburst in the Esk River.

The last connection with the village of Sleights, in the centre of the flood area, was severed late today when the telephone wires broke down.

Many families throughout the area are imprisoned in the upper floors of their houses.

The train service has been discontinued over a wide area.

The life-saving crews, who did particularly effective work in Russia, from one house a woman and four children, who had climbed to the roof, were hauled through the flood to safety by means of a breeches buoy brought into play by the coastguard.

From another five people were rescued by the coastguards with life-saving apparatus at a time when the water had already reached the top of a mill.

Twelve people were rescued from the upper storey of a mill.

The town crier of Whitby patrolled the streets and warned the populace that the water supply would last for only 48 hours. The pipes from the reservoir had been burst.

Hoover Signs Naval Treaty

To Limit Fighting Vessels For Three Great Powers

Washington, D.C.—In the historic room of the White House, President Hoover signed the London Naval Treaty.

Ratification by Great Britain and Japan and the depositing of all three signatures in London remain to be accomplished to bring into full effect the covenant limiting for the first time all categories of fighting vessels for the three great naval powers.

No Reduction In Pay

Ottawa, Ont.—Department of railways and canals officials yesterday decided that men working on the Welland Canal were not reduced in pay as a result of the application of the eight-hour day and 44-hour week. All men, the statement said, will receive the same weekly wage as they did before parliament passed the legislation at the last session.

Small Fire In Orphanage

Winnipeg.—The young inmates of St. Joseph's Orphanage here, marched out in orderly fashion and were unharmed when fire attacked the institution. Some of the windows had broken, the glass quickly spread to the dormitory roof but quick arrival of firemen prevented extensive damage.

Scores Drowned At Coblenz

Pontoon Bridge Collapsed Under Strain Of Heavy Traffic

Coblenz, Germany.—Scores of persons were drowned in the collapse of a pontoon bridge here during celebration of the evacuation of the Rhine land in which President Von Hindenburg had taken part. About 100 people were on the bridge when it crumbled.

An enormous crowd had gathered along the banks of the Rhine during the evening at the so-called "Deutsch's Eck," where the Moselle River joins the Rhine.

They stood watching the display of fireworks and the illumination at the ancient castle of Ehrenbreitstein in honor of President Von Hindenburg's visit.

When the display was over, thousands of persons crossed the pontoon bridge, which leads to a place known as "Security Harbor."

Suddenly, while about 100 persons were on the bridge, it collapsed under the strain of the unusual traffic.

Many were killed by falling timbers, and others were swept away in the black, swirling water and drowned before help could reach them.

In the darkness, which lately had been intermittently illuminated by the fireworks across the rivers, people could be heard splashing about and crying for help.

Rescuers immediately launched boats, but many of the victims could not be located.

ADMINISTRATION OF PEACE RIVER BLOCK BY B. C.

Victoria, B.C.—British Columbia takes over the administration of the Peace River block and the railway belt on August 1, under tentative plan agreed upon by the government. Efforts are being made now to adjust the necessary administrative details by that date.

The actual transfer will be accomplished without the disturbance of existing administrative machinery. For the time being, federal officials will carry on. As soon as possible, however, the administration will be entirely overhauled to eliminate the present duplication by federal and provincial departments in the railway belt, where two sets of machinery have operated side by side for years. In some offices the provincial officials will be able to carry on alone, possibly with addition of one or two from federal territory. In the forestry department, however, it may be necessary for forest patrol in the large areas to be transferred.

A Generous Gift

American Philanthropist Offers Ten Million Dollars For Educational Work In Britain

London, England.—The Daily Herald, government organ, says that Edward Harkness of New York, American philanthropist, has offered £2,000,000 (about \$10,000,000), for the endowment of social and educational work in Great Britain.

The gift is to be administered by a board of trustees. Invitations to serve on it have been sent among others to former Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, Sir Josiah Stamp, the great financial expert, and to John Buchan, novelist and member of parliament.

Presented To Rulers

London, England.—John McCormack, the Irish tenor, was presented to the Royal Queen at a garden party at Buckingham Palace, July 23. Prof. Smidt, high commissioner for the Irish Free State, introduced him.

Leaders Meet

Madrid, Spain.—More than 2,000 children fainted at a Community Service here. They had risen early and fasted for the ceremony. When the hot sun came out girls and boys alike dropped unconscious to the floor of 80 degrees in attendance were inadequate to care for the sick. A total of 30,000 children were present.

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Rudyard Kipling and T. B. Macaulay, president of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, leaders in literature and finance, aboard the Canadian Pacific liner "Duchess of Bedford" on their arrival in England.

VISITOR FROM ANTIPODES

R. Harris, general manager of the Radio Broadcasting Co., of New Zealand, who spent the past two weeks studying conditions in Canada.



Beatty Issues Statement

Detailed Information On Air Service To Be Announced Later

Montreal.—In reference to the newspaper reports with respect to possible aviation developments in Canada, Mr. E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, made the following statement:

"By amendments to its charter secured in 1919, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company was empowered to establish and operate services of aircraft of all kinds, and in recent years it has, through its express department, entered into contracts for express services with established Canadian air service companies. Discussions have taken place between the president of the Canadian National Railways and this company looking to participation by both companies in the ownership of airway companies, both in eastern and western Canada, and these discussions have proceeded to the point where an agreement in principle has been reached."

"It is anticipated that each of the transcontinental railways will have an equal interest, and when negotiations have been concluded an announcement in greater detail will, no doubt, be made."

Seeking New Trade Treaty With Canada

New Zealand Official Coming To Ottawa To Discuss Matter

Wellington, N.Z.—With the view of negotiating a new trade treaty between New Zealand and Canada, Dr. Clegg, comptroller of customs, will call on Ottawa to discuss the matter with the Canadian authorities and carry matters as far as possible before the opening of the Imperial Conference, in London, England.

Dr. Craig will subsequently go to London to assist in the Imperial Conference discussions on tariff and allied economic questions.

TRAIL OF DEATH FOLLOWS 'QUAKE IN SOUTH ITALY

Naples.—Amid the whined hills of Apulia, the simple peasant folk of southern Italy had counted their dead to the number of 679 in half a score of towns tumbled to ruins by a series of terrible earthquakes.

Government estimates placed the injured at more than a thousand, and the homeless at ten times that figure. Melfi, picturesque mountain city, perched perilously upon the crater of the extinct Monte Vulture, was an area of ghastly debris. Even the citizens, though buried in its several phases, goes back to the ninth century, was wrecked.

The almost inaccessible nature of some of the areas devastated made difficult the work of succor and the estimation of casualties. Most of the towns hit by the hardest are of the bent paths of tourists, with poor transportation and almost inaccessible altitude.

Several supply trains have been sent to reinforce the railroads in the interior from Naples, and hundreds of relief workers were penetrating the recesses of the agricultural areas, offering shelter to the still terror stricken victims.

The 'quake stunned all Italy. It was the worst earthshock since Messina in 1908. The first shock came an hour after midnight. Its own awful nature was supplemented by a tremendous electrical storm over virtually the whole affected area.

Shattered houses, cracked from the Tyrrhenian sea to the Adriatic, but the coast settlements suffered less in proportion than the mountain populations. Naples experienced several hours of panic with several houses and scores of casualties. Among this city's victims was the Countess De Rossi Vargas. Never in all Neapolitan history had this classic city experienced such stark-mad fright. The frenzied populace ran through the streets apparently heading nowhere.

Wrecked bridges, snapped communication wires and many other obstacles had been tossed in the path of the relief workers by the upheaval of nature. Motor cars made little progress over unacquainted routes. The highways of the area are notoriously undeveloped and rail lines passed through many gorges over which the quake had tumbled avalanches.

Several tunnels upon the road to Melfi, where 180 persons perished, according to official figures, fell in and blocked service beyond restoration for many days.

BRITAIN MUST ADOPT BETTER TRADE METHODS

London, England.—British methods of selling in Canada are severely criticized in the report of F. W. Fields, senior British trade commissioner in Canada, which has been made public by the department of overseas trade.

Mr. Fields attacks "long distance" selling methods, the under payment of agents and the failure of British manufacturers to adapt themselves to the changing conditions in the Canadian markets.

The report is endorsed by the Financial Times, which says: "The plain fact of the matter seems to be that the British have neglected to cultivate the Canadian market by the adoption of efficient methods of salesmanship and have allowed their American rivals to jump their claim. It is no longer possible to sell goods by correspondence, while it is often difficult to dispose of any large quantity of merchandise through agents on a commission basis."

"The report has already done as much as can reasonably be expected to do in giving British goods a preference which is estimated to mean a transference from American to British importers of \$40,000,000 in trade and naturally Canadians are now looking to Britain to show appreciation of this great help in Empire unity."

Manitoba Appointments

Officials Named To Take Over Duties In National Resources Department

Winnipeg, Man.—The Manitoba Government has filled seven important positions in its new Department of Natural Resources. They were made necessary through the taking over of the resources from the Dominion. All seven appointees were formerly employed by the Canadian Government.

They are:

Col. H. J. Stevenson, provincial forester; Mr. O. N. Neel, assistant director of provincial forests; John Tod, timber sales officer; W. E. McLean, mining recorder, to be stationed at The Pas; Man.; A. J. McLaren, mining inspector and engineer, to officiate as inspector of mining claims; E. B. Patterson, engineer of water powers branch, to be stationed at Seven Sisters Falls; B. H. Hogarth, engineer of water powers branch, to be stationed at St. Marys.

The appointed department will have a personnel of approximately 132 when the staffs are complete, it was stated. Appointments to the fisheries branch are now being considered.

U.S. Increases Population

Exact New Census To Show Population Of About 123,957,000

Washington, D.C.—A total of about 122,957,000 people—just a few thousand more than last year—will be shown as the population of the United States in the new census. The final count is announced here by Director W. M. Steiger, of the census.

The 1929 population was 105,710,620. Should final figures bear out the calculation, the country would show a growth of around 17,246,000 people in the ten years.

The approximate total figure has been calculated by the Associated Press on the basis of actual preliminary returns from 40 states and the District of Columbia.

Offered Life Membership

Services Of Political Leaders Is Recognized By Canadian Legion

Ottawa, Ont.—Dominion honorary life membership in the Canadian Legion is being offered the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and the Hon. R. B. Bennett, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the commissioners for Great Britain, and the Hon. Jean Knight, until recently the minister of Finance in Canada, in recognition of their outstanding services in the interests of the returned soldier body and to the legion. The first occasion Dominion honorary life membership being awarded since the inception of the legion is announced by Lt.-Col. L. R. Lafiche, president of the Legion.

Celebrate Potato Day

Winnipeg, Man.—The city is to have a "Potato Day" on Saturday, August 11. A motorcade will visit potato plantations, speeches will be made, and housekeepers invited to co-operate in stimulating the growth of potatoes in the province. This is being done under the auspices of the Agricultural Bureau of the Board of Trade.

Wonderful Display Of British Aircraft

Recent Meet At Hendon, England, Created Great Interest

Aircraft searching through the atmosphere at 200 miles an hour, or crawling at the funeral pace of five miles an hour, monster ships and tiny ships, sloping ships and steady ships, all kinds of aircraft, to the number of 200, were gathered at Hendon, England, at the great aerial display staged by the Royal Air Force.

The "grabs" exceeded that of the Derby, England's greatest race, so great was the interest in this greatest exhibition of the modern marvels of the air. For probably at no time and in no place have so many aircraft been gathered together in one place.

It was a six-hour circus—the modern circus. The R-101 sailed its stately way across the sky. There were manœuvres by large formations of "planes, mass parachute jumps, flying upside-down, loops, dips, physical jerks by a squadron of nine planes. The squadron, linked by elastic cords, looped simultaneously carrying streamers. A weird turn was supplied by an auto-gyro with its huge four-blade windmill climbing very slowly at 45 degrees. The gyro demonstration was followed by a mimic, the mimic being a "Gudhug" Handley-Page equipped with slots to imitate the gyro's every move.

A Poor Business Head

But Famous Musician Got the Violin He Wanted

The world-famous violinist, Jan Kubelik, is fond of telling the story of how he acquired his first violin. I was—he says—quite a little chap at the time and seeing the instrument in a shop window in Prague, I begged my father to buy it for me. The shopkeeper wanted 500 kronen—roughly £2—which my father thought too much, as it was quite a common instrument. As my father turned away I followed him in deep distress, beseeching him to reconsider his decision. "Wait," said my father, at last, "run back and offer him 200 kronen, and if he will not take that, offer him 400 and if he won't take that, give him 500." "And," adds Kubelik, "it wouldn't take a particular clever person to guess what the man got."

A Mountain Of Fire

Sawdust In Seattle Has Been Burning Twenty-One Years

A fire has been burning for the last 21 years in Seattle and there is small chance of ever putting it out. It originated in 1909 with the burning of the old pioneer Taylor saw-mill. Sawdust, accumulated in years of millwork, has formed a mountain of waste and sparks will smolder in its bosom until there is nothing inflammable left. Several times a year the blaze goes so important firemen are kept busy for weeks trying to reduce its size.

Saskatoon Exhibition

The Saskatoon Exhibition committee has prepared a prize list for finished beef animals open to Saskatchewan breeders only. They offer \$3,000 in prize money divided among five classes, and have arranged for the selling by auction of the competing animals on the morning of Saturday, July 26.

To Form Live Stock Council

One hundred and eleven representatives of the Live Stock Breeders' Association, in the Province of British Columbia, contemplate the formation of a live stock council. Temporary officers were arranged for at a meeting in Vernon.

Iceland's summer climate runs a temperature averaging 50 to 55 degrees.



He: "It's funny, modern girls don't seem to want to marry."

She: "Probably it's because it's you who ask them."—Pages Gales, Vernon.

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Use Of Fertilizers

Field Treated With Superphosphates Shows Remarkable Progress

Although some may consider that the practically virgin soils of the west have no need of fertilizer, yet the experiments now being conducted on the part of R. E. Goodlet, a native northeast of Steam Lake, Saskatchewan, are watching with deep interest throughout the district and in wider spheres also. A field of 25 acres of Reward wheat was sown with superphosphates under the supervision of the Department of Agriculture. So far, this field has shown remarkable progress. It is from six to eight inches taller than untreated wheat and appears to be eight or ten days in advance, having been headed out for some time.

In its latest appearance, a yield of at least eight to ten bushels per acre over and above what will be given from untreated fields may be looked for which will have a handsome profit after defraying the cost of the fertilizer and its application. The field was recently inspected by Mr. Cameron, of the field crops branch, who pronounced it the best he had seen in the whole province. A good many of these test plots have been sown throughout the province and the general result will be watched with great interest. Dr. Chant says that the wheat gets a good start if it keeps ahead of all the weeds and thus helps in overcoming the weed menace. This fertilizer is also of great benefit in gardens where a small application will bring vegetables ahead.

Contentment Is Best

People We Envy Might Gladly Change Places With Us

A well-known business man parked his new Packard car at the curb when a troop of urchins passed by. "Mister," they shouted in a spirit of banter, "give us your car."

The man smiled indulgently.

"I'll give you my car," he said, "if you'll take all my troubles and worries with it."

"Oh, keep your old car," they deprecated, and moved on.

Their pride did not realize the significance of their reply, but we who are older understand.

We often envy a man his good fortune, but if we know of all his burdens we would not exchange places with him. We pine for the luxuries the rich enjoy and grumble at our own lot, forgetting that many a millionaire sighs for the simple pleasures of the days when he was in moderate circumstances.

We wish we could attend the banquets of our more fortunate neighbors and friends, and we do not stop to realize how often they worry their poor brains to invent ostensible reasons for being excused.

You probably would not exchange with anybody if you knew all his position implies.

Do not envy. Better far, thank the Lord for what you have, and be contented.—A. B. Rhinow.

Occupations Far Apart

Invitations Of English Clergyman Useful In War

A clergyman who evidently did not consider that there was anything incongruous in serving the Prince of Peace, and at the same time inventing "gadgets" to help in the mainaining of his warlike men, has just had a tablet unveiled to memory at the Tower of London, England. He was the Rev. Alexander John Forsyth, a Scotman, who invented the percussion lock for small arms, and who also produced a detonating powder for which, it is said, he was offered £20,000 by Napoleon. Forsyth left his quiet manse to work in the Tower, and when his duties were over he returned to his village with an honorary LL.D. degree. The reverend instructor died in 1843. This is the first time a memorial to a private individual has been erected in the precincts of the Tower.

West Area Of Canada

On a given day last summer, O. S. Finnie, administrator of the North West Territories, was at Akavik, N.W.T.; Dick Finnie, son of O. S., was with the Canadian Expedition at Ellesmere Island, N.W.T.; Miss Dorothy, the daughter, was at Kingston, Ont., and Mrs. Finnie was at Vancouver. All were in Canada and no two were closer together than 2,500 miles. Few have any idea of the vast area of Canada.

Bandages Of Silver

Bandages, made of silver, instead of cotton, apparently have the power of healing surgical wounds, according to Dr. P. Wartisch, of Vienna University, Austria. The silver, applied in the form of a thin balm, he reports seems to have a marked antiseptic value.

Heavy Gold Production

Canada May Advance To Second Place Among World's Gold Producers

Prospects are that Canada will this year advance into second place among the gold producing countries of the world. South Africa holds first place and the United States second. Last year the value of gold produced in Canada was approximately \$40,000,000. This year it is expected the value will be about \$60,000,000.

Almost without exception, the larger mines in Northern Ontario, the principal source of gold production in Canada, are expanding their output. Besides the straight gold producers there are several copper mines that add an important quota of gold as a by-product.

Within the next year it is likely that Manitoba will play an important role in gold production.

The bulk of the expanded Canadian production this year will come from the Kirkland Lake and Porcupine districts in Northern Ontario which, for several years, have been large producers of gold and other minerals.

Leads The World

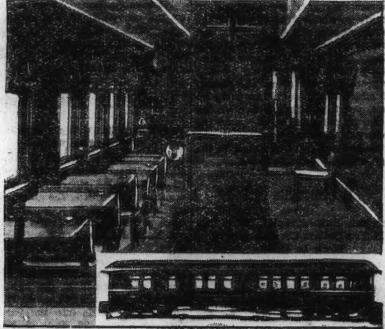
Britain is the world in aeronautical manufacture, and it was stated in the Air Ministry's report of the year gross of civil aviation. The report showed that more than \$10,000,000 worth of aeronautical material was exported last year. All-round progress in both private and commercial aviation was recorded. Britain now has 21 light aeroplane clubs with a membership of 3,648.

Honor Land Surveyors

First land surveyors of the west were honored recently when a memorial cairn and tablet was unveiled near Headingley, Man., where the 100th meridian crosses the highway to Portage la Prairie. R.C. McPhillips, veteran surveyor, unveiled the cairn.

Divorce by letter or telegram is now possible in Mexico at a cost of about \$2,000. These divorces are granted for "moral cruelty" and are valid in the United States and France.

EDUCATION ON WHEELS



Under the personal direction of A. McCowan, Assistant General Superintendent of Car Equipment, the Canadian National Railways completed, this week, at the Fort Rouge Shops (Winnipeg), the above car for the use of the Ontario Board of Education.

The purpose of this car is to educate people at points where school facilities are not available. Advantage will be taken of this educational equipment by both children and older persons desiring to use the educational advantages thus brought right to them. Provisions are made to educate the younger child commencing with the head frame, up to older children in the regular subjects taught in the best schools, even including typewriting.

The car is also designed to make a permanent home for the teachers. Entering from the living portion of the car is seen a large Baker heater which is designed to keep the car comfortably warm in the coldest weather; on the opposite side of the car is a large refrigerator 3 ft. x 8 ft. that will take care of the food requirements for the winter period.

West will be seen the kitchen with neat range with hot water connection, standard metal sink and work table covered with the same metal, under this work table are the usual cupboards, flour bin and cutting board. Two large copper tanks are the means of storing a good supply of water. Over the work table are chin cupboards fitted with nests and racks to keep clean ware safe when travelling.

Adjoining the kitchen is a small living room with removable table, a couch, which can be converted to a lower and upper sleeping berth and

Agricultural Wealth

Gross Agricultural Wealth Of Canada Estimated At Nearly Eight Billion Dollars

The gross agricultural wealth of Canada for 1929 is estimated at approximately \$7,978,683,000 in a summary published at the National Revenue Department.

Last year the total revenue from agriculture was \$1,067,218,000, or Ontario accounted for \$400,000; Quebec, \$328,422,000; Saskatchewan, \$225,589,000; Manitoba, \$134,095,000; British Columbia, \$34,235,000; Nova Scotia, \$48,558,000; New Brunswick, \$39,854,000; and Prince Edward Island, \$26,723,000.

The two principal items which go to make up the total of agricultural revenue are field crops, valued at \$979,750,000, and dairy products, with an estimated value of \$290,000,000. Farm animals are third with a value of \$210,437,000, and poultry and eggs fourth with a value of \$100,346,000.

Noise Is Serious Peril

Investigators Find Health Of New York Residents Affected

A state of emergency exists in the city of New York as a result of the tremendous increase in noise during the last few years, according to the first report of the noise abatement commission headed by Edward Fisher Brown.

The report stresses that the noise must be reduced at once or the health and efficiency of the city will suffer.

A sub-committee of physicians found definite proof that noise produces undue pressure on the brain, affects metabolism, produces partial or total deafness, prevents concentration, retards learning, and interferes with normal development of infants and young children.

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Plays Chess In The Open

Missouri Entomologist Has Huge Board Built In Garden

Perhaps chess is the last game one associates with fresh air and exercise. Yet there is one chess enthusiast who has succeeded in playing his favorite game under ideal conditions in the open. He is Mr. R. F. Goodlet, a wealthy citizen of Tupelo, Missouri.

On discovering that his liking for the ancient game kept him too much indoors, he hit upon the ingenious idea of an outdoor chessboard that would enable the players to get some physical exercise in the health-giving open air. The board is 12 feet square and is built of concrete.

Mr. Goodlet decided to have his chessboard at the rear of his home. The dark square of the board were made of the lawn itself and the light squares were made of pieces of marble set in concrete. Strips of concrete formed the border of the playing area.

While the masons and gardeners were completing the board, skilled cabinetmakers, using small ivory models, were put to work on a set of giant wooden chessmen, which were to be accurate enlargements of the normal-sized models. Wood of light weight was used for these men, so that the players could lift them easily in the course of a game.

When the oversized set was finished it was painted in waterproof enamel, half the set in ivory and the other half in dark red. So cleverly had the cabinetmakers done their work that the big men were in perfect proportion to the enlarged playing areas and were of the same height. The interesting detail found in the small set of men is the comparative thinness of the upper parts of the men and their round bases made them at once stable and easy to move from square to square.

On summer evenings an electric lantern is suspended over this unique board, thereby making play possible and delightful in the open when it is dark all round. So far as it is possible to learn, this giant chessboard is the largest in the world.

A Bushel Of Wheat

Farmer's Hard Work Means Nothing Without Co-Operation Of Nature

What part does the hard-working farmer play in growing a bushel of Number One Northern wheat? Important as he and the officials of farm co-operatives may think it, the cleverest of men in the making of wheat crop may sometimes be overestimated.

At Ottawa, they have recently found that in the case of a bushel of wheat, thirty tons of water are required. In Western Canada this water is supplied almost wholly from natural sources without use of pumps or other equipment for artificial irrigation. It comes in clouds carried by the winds and descends in the form of rain or snow or dew.

The sun on high plays his part in making the wheat, warming the seed bed, giving the heat to make the young seeds germinate, sprout and mature. Old Man Frost plays his part also.

To make the good black dirt of Western Canada in which the wheat grows, a combination of great natural forces has wrought for a million years.

Man may plant, may cultivate, may reap a plot of wheat, but after all, man in all his glory, with all his tools of production and his laboratories can not create a single grain of wheat that will grow. The tillage farmers can help produce a bushel of wheat which contributes to the production of man's better wheat, but they claim too much when they accept full credit for making the wheat harvest. Nor can man control the price of wheat after it is grown.

Happiness In Work

Idler's Hours Are Empty Of Joy Said Roosevelt

I pity no man because he has to work. If he is worth his salt he will work. I sympathize with him. The busiest person is frequently the happiest; the idler's hours are empty of joy. Man must work and struggle in order to grow. If he allows his faculties to become dull, and his powers to lie dormant he withers and dies.—Theodore Roosevelt.

Rose Culture In Canada

"Rose growing, as a business, is rapidly developing throughout Canada into a trade of considerable magnitude," according to an illustrated booklet issued from the Ontario Department of Agriculture. "Although the great majority of growers are found in Ontario, nurseries and florists are cultivating roses in every province of the Dominion."

Manitoba Has Ancient History

British History In Western Province Commenced 318 Years Ago

"We have been told," said Dr. A. Stewart, president of the Manitoba Historical and Scientific Society to Rotarians at a luncheon, "that Manitoba has no history. This is not correct."

"We have a long, interesting, romantic and useful history. This jubilee we are celebrating will send our roots farther down in our history than ever before. The farther the roots the bigger and better the plant."

Manitoba is not confined to sixty years of history, the speaker said, but has more than five times sixty years of history.

"Indeed, I might say," he continued, "one-and-one-half times sixty years of white man history, for we have some reason to believe Scandinavians came along the Red River 132 years before Columbus. But real British definite white man history in Manitoba began just three centuries and 18 years ago.

"In that 318 years of history there have been five distinct periods, the provincial periods being the latest. The first came when Manitoba was found more or less by accident in the search for a Northwest passage. It was seen by Henry Hudson, and two years later by Thomas Bunting, who landed on Manitoba soil near the mouth of the Nelson River and remained there during the winter of 1612."

After Bunting, he said, several other expeditions pushed their way into Manitoba, paving the way for the second historical period of 1670-1738, the period of building posts and organized trade.

"The third section of our history," Dr. Stewart continued, "was that of trade rivalry. There are two gates from the east to Manitoba, the Hudson Bay gate, which was opened from 1612 to 1738, then the St. Lawrence-Great Lakes-Winnipeg River gate was opened. There was rivalry between these two gateways from 1738 to 1821. About 1870 the Hudson Bay gate was closed and all routes led from the east. Now in 1930 the Hudson's Bay gate is again opened."

The fourth period was the colonial part of the province's history, he said, and began in strife, but toward its end became prosperous and happy. The fifth period also began in strife, but contained the boom which made Manitoba a known land almost overnight.

"Today, in what might be discussed as the future period of Manitoba history, from 1930 to 1950, we have only to live down the five great plagues of today. These are the incurable pessimist, the unbalanced optimist, the sectionalistic, the slackener and the waster."—Manitoba Free Press.

Have To Be Cleaned

Sculptured Flames On London Monument Need Attention Regularly

Men have recently been busy on the top of the London Monument (known as "The Monument"), where they have been cleaning the sculptured flames. Although most Londoners are familiar with the Monument, probably few could explain why it was erected, and when, and many would look puzzled if allusion were made to the flames. The Monument commemorates the Great Fire of London, and was built in 1671-72, at a cost of £14,500, in Pudding Lane, East Cheap, where the Great Fire broke out in 1666. It is 202 feet high. Every year the flames are washed, and next year they will be regilded. For this work the 24-carat gold leaf is employed.

To Supervise Buildings

Efforts to control within certain limits, the architectural style of buildings erected in Winnipeg, have been started by the civic zoning committee who have instructed the city solicitor to prepare legislation giving the city authority to control architectural and other details of all buildings other than residences.



"Why did you steal a bicycle from me?"

"I thought the owner was dead."—Hummel, Hamburg.

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MONEY TO LOAN PHONE 3

Council Meetings

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary Treasurer on the first Monday of each month commencing with February at the hour 8 o'clock p.m.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 22nd August, 1930, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mail, on a proposed Contract for a period not exceeding four years 24 times per week on the route Crossfield and C. P. Railway station, from the 1st October, 1930.

Printed notices containing further information concerning the conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Crossfield, Alberta, and at the District Superintendent of Postal Office, District Superintendents Office,

3rd July, 1930

J. B. CORLEY,
District Superintendent
of Postal Service
Calgary

Local and General

Mrs. J. Annon and Mr. J. Taylor of Wayne, spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cruickshank.

Rev. H. Young and family left town on Tuesday last holiday bent, seeing the country by motor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gordon and family motored to Calgary on last Wednesday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones, at Calgary, on Friday, July 25th, a son.

Mrs. D. J. McKay of Calgary, was renewing old acquaintances in town last week and was the guest of Mrs. W. McRory.

The Rev. Attwod of Ogden, will hold service in the Church of Ascension at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning.

The Women's Guild will hold their weekly sewing circle at the home of Mrs. Mossop on Thursday August 14th, at 3:30.

Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Williams, Grace and Jackie, are leaving today (Thursday) on a two weeks auto trip to Saskachewan

Mrs. P. Griffiths and children, returned on Saturday, after spending a two weeks holiday with relative near Ponoka.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Marston and Mrs. M. Turner of Calgary were visitors in town on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Earl Devins and daughter Audrey are spending the weekend in Blakie, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie High.

Miss Florence Cruickshank returned on Sunday from Wayne, where she had been visiting her grandmother.

Fred Stevens has been doing a lot of electioneering the past two weeks, on Tuesday he was wearing a million dollar smile, one that would not wash off.

The Women's Guild will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Green on Thursday, August 7. Will all members please attend at 3:30.

A. (Happy) McMillan is back on the job again after enjoying a holiday at Waterton Lakes, Banff and finally finished up with a fishing trip out west of Olds.

Third prize in the baseball benefit awaits the holder of ticket No. 58. Anyone having this number should get in touch with Glen Williams, secretary of the Baseball Club.

The Misses Marjorie Metheral, Eva Jarman, Frances Hobbs and Kathleen Mair, returned on Friday after spending ten days at the C. G. I. T. camp at Sylvan Lake.

A. H. Miller, local manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, returned on Sunday from California, where he had been on a three weeks vacation. Mrs. Miller and Lexy will remain in California for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Amery and children, of Walla Walla, Wash., arrived here last week. It is more than likely that Mr. and Mrs. Amery will take up their residence again in Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blott and family of Estuary, Sask., visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wickerson on Sunday, enroute home after holidaying at Banff and Lake Louise.

Services will be held next Sunday at Beaverdam at 11 a.m.; Inverlea at 3:30 p.m. There will not be any service in Crossfield United Church in the evening.

The Chronicle has printed the bills for the 24th annual picnic and sports to be held at the Dog Pound on Wed., Aug. 6. Athletic events, horses races, baseball, horseshoe tournament, Indian races, archery contest, powwow and a dance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCool and daughter of Edmonton spent the weekend in town visiting relatives. Mr. McCool throws a keen horseshoe and on Saturday evening showed some of our pitchers how the game is played.

Local and General

The baseball dance and drawing for prizes, held in the U.P.A. hall on Wednesday night, was well attended and a good time was had. A list of prize winners and donors of special prizes will appear in next week's issue.

Mrs. L. Halliday of Clearlake, Wis., and Mrs. F. Halliday of Ellsworth, Wis., have been visiting their sister Mrs. Winchell of Bottrel, and Mrs. W. Thome of Sampson, for the past month and are leaving next week for home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Whitfield, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Marston were visitors here on Saturday last, to see their aunt Mrs. Adderly who is sick, but who are glad to report is progressing favorably under the attention of Dr. Williams and Mrs. P. I. McAnally.

The United Church Sunday School and families, plan to hold their annual picnic on August 13th, at St. Georges Island. Will parents kindly co-operate with children in letting their Sunday School teachers know how many can go.

Parties returning from Peace River are not enthusiastic about prospects there. Wages are very low with many applications for the jobs available. Homesteaders find breaking up brush farms to be a sizable undertaking, especially when the price of grain is considered. Just at present it is a good place to keep away from unless you have money.

The Women's Guild were not favored with weather conditions on last Saturday, when they were to have a tea on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Thomas, but, the ladies were equal to the occasion and served refreshments in the Haven's Garage building. The Rev. Currie, his wife and daughter, motored up from Calgary to be present and became acquainted with some of their new parishioners.

The cushion presented by Mrs. Earl Devins was won by Mrs. Miles Pike.

Altogether a very pleasant afternoon was spent. The tea proved a financial success, netting the Guild \$33.00.

The ladies of the Guild, wish to thank all those who helped make such a successful afternoon.

Horseshoe Tournament

Alred Bros were successful in retaining the McCool Challenge Trophy, on Saturday night, when they defeated the challengers, W. E. Bennett and W. H. Miller, two games out of three. The final game finished up with a score of 20 to 21, and gives you an idea of the play; in fact if looked as it was all over but the shouting, when Bennett made a ringer and was touching the peg with his second shoe, but, Jim Alred showed his class, by putting another ringer on top of it, which left Bennett and Miller only a single point, and the score standing at 20-20, on the next

and Bill Alred scored a point on a shot that was touching the peg. It was a great finish and a good game to win.

Several challenges are in for the trophy and it will be played for on Saturday night at 7:30 sharp. The usual weekly tournament will also be held on Saturday night.

All members are urged to turn out this weekend, as a meeting will be held following the tournament.

Correction

Barney said he made an error last week re Cruickshank. A stands for Adam, not Andy, but thought Adam looked too much like a swear word, and he was afraid Jim Williams might take exception to it; still I had better get the error regulated.

MARCELLING

Ester Devins has resumed business next door to the phone office. Make appointments either there or at the post office.

Lost—Auto license plate No. 79-867. Will finder please leave at Chronicle office.

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THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1930

Now the elections are over, per-
haps everybody can settle down to
work again.

Board of Trade Notes

The Crossfield and District Board of Trade is to be congratulated with the opening of the Village Park. Many citizens of the district never knew that Crossfield had such a park until the day of the picnic.

Any person who has the interests of the Crossfield District at heart, should become a member of the Board of Trade. There are 114 members at the present time, but, the Executive of the Board would like to see more members on their lists.

The Crossfield and District Board of Trade is proving itself worthy of support from the citizens of the community.

Crossfield and district is being well advertised these days through the press. Even London, England has heard of Crossfield during the past few weeks in connection with the C.P.R. line going west from here, so that Crossfield is very much before the public just now. Let everybody in the district try and help to keep the good name of Crossfield steering that way.

BASEBALL

DRUMHELLER, July 28.—Crossfield baseball team had an even break in a double header against Chicago Athletics played in Drumheller on Sunday. The snappy Crossfield aggregation took the first game 7 to 2, while the colored boys turned a 7-4 for the final. Rosback, who was on the mound for Crossfield in the first game, pitched well, fanned seven and kept his hits scattered. W. Robertson of touring team, hit a home run off Rosback in the first inning.

Scotty Lee was given poor support in his attack on the colored team otherwise he would have held runs down. He turned in eight strike outs as compared with Wilson's three.

With the score tied in the fifth, Webb sent the ball sailing over the fence with two on. L. Robertson made a spectacular catch in the ninth when he caught a ball off the fence at left field from D'Arcy McKinlay's bat.

The Teams
Crossfield — Bills rf, McFadyen ss, McKinlay c, Williams 3b, Nelson 1b, Schmidt cf, McDowell 2b, Holland lf, Robertson Jr, Rasback p, Robertson of touring team.

Athletics — W. Robertson ab, L. Robertson lf, Webb 3b, Brooks c, Slaughter cf, Childs ss, Waggoner rf, Saunders p, Wilson p.

The Chicago Athletics won both games from Crossfield at the local diamond on Wednesday. The first game was won by the colored team by a score of 14 to 3. The evening game was a real contest and won by the Athletics by a score of 3 to 0.

EXTRA

An all star American Association League team will play the Great American all star colored team at Diamond Park, Crossfield, Thursday, August 7th at 6:30 sharp. Don't fail to see the Big League teams in action.

Send the Chronicle to the folks back home.

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